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THREE HOURS' COMBAT WITH AN ELE PHANT.-Mr. Hyatt Frost, of Van Amburgh's Menagerie, gave us yesterday the particulars of a terrible fight with Tippoo Sahib, the wellknown elephant, which occurred at Connersville, Indiana, last Tuesday. The menagerie had gone into winter quarters at that place, and the animal is chained in a small building .-Tippoo Sahib is now the largest elephant in America. He is 36 years old, and weighs 10, 000 pounds. The battle resulted from a change of his keepers. The elephant was in particular bad humor with all mankind. He would allow nobody in his quarters, striking at every intruder viciously. On Tuesday morning last the combat opened. The new keeper, with nine assistants, had equipped himself with chains and cables for tying, and spears and pitchforks for subduing Tippoo. The first thing was to fasten a brickbat to the end of a rope, fastened to one leg and one tusk. By means of this rope, a twenty-ton cable chain was slip-noosed around the tusk. Next, an excavation three feet deep was made under the sill of the house, and while the elephant's attention was attracted to the other side of the room by a pail of water poured into his trough,

the cable chain was passed through the excavation and fastened to heavy stakes outside.-All this time the animal struck all around him with ferocity, and tugged at his chain. The hind legs. This was consummated by the slinging of fresh ropes around those two stately-pillars, and, finally, by strategy, these ropes were fastened to stumps outside. The elephant was now sufficiently pinioned to allow the order "charge pitchforks" to be given. Ten men plunged them into the ram

paging beast. The tenderest spot in an elephant is just behind the forelegs, and that lo-cality was probed unmercifully, By means of a hooked spear sunk in his back Tippoo was brought to his knees, but he surged up again with such strength that he swept his tormentors off their feet, and made his chains whistle like fiddle-strings. After an hour's fighting, he was brought down on his side, but for two hours longer he tugged at his chain with frenzied obstinacy. He pulled so hard at times that his hind legs were straight out behind him, and three-feet off the ground. At the end of the three hours the glant gave in by trumpeting, which is the elephant's way of crying enough. The moment this peculiar cry was heard the battle ceased. The keeper made Tippoo get up and lie down a number of times, and he was as obedient to the word of command as a gentle pony. The animal was then groomed and rubbed off with whiskey. He allowed all manner of liberties without so much as flapping an ear. He was a subjugated elephant. At one stage of the fight the dog Jack (a companion of the elephant) thought some of the tying business foul play. He flew upon Johnson's back but was pulled off and dragged out of the room. Jack evidently sympathized with his big friend.—Cincinnati Com.

EYE-SIGHT-Milton's blindness was the result of overwork and dyspepsia. One of the most eminent American divines has for some time been compelled to forego the pleasure of reading, has spent thousands of dollars in vain, and lost years of time in consequence of getting up several hours before day, and studying by artificial light. Multitudes of men and women have made their eyes weak for life by the too free use of the eyesight in reading small print and doing fine sewing.

In view of these things it is well to observe the following rules in the use of the eyes: Avoid sudden changes between light and

Never begin to read, or write, or sew, for several minutes after coming from darkness to

Never read by twilight, or moonlight, or of a cloudy day. Never read or sew directly in front of the

light, or window, or door. It is better to have the light fall from above obliquely over the left shoulder.

Never sleep so that on first awaking the eyes shall open on the light of a window. Do not use the eyesight so scant that it re-

quires an effort to discriminate. Too much light creates a glare, and pains and confuses the sight. The moment you are sensi-

ble of an effort to distinguish, that moment cease, and take a walk or ride. As the sky is blue and the earth green, it

would seem that the ceiling should be of a blush tinge, and the walls of some mellow tint. The moment you are instinctively prompted to rub the eyes, that moment stop using them.

If the eyelids are glued together on waking up, do not forcibly open them, but apply the saliva with the finger; it is the speediest dilutent in the world. Then wash the eyes and face in warm water. - Hall's Journal of Health.

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